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Dear Mr. Carter:

I am writing this letter to share important information regarding the natural gas pipeline project Dominion has proposed in your area.

The Southeast Reliability Project has been renamed the **Atlantic Coast Pipeline** in recognition of a joint venture undertaken by Dominion and three major energy companies – Duke Energy, Piedmont Natural Gas and AGL Resources. Subsidiaries or affiliates of all four companies would use the pipeline to help meet the growing energy needs of their customers. With this joint venture in place, Dominion plans to move forward with the regulatory approval process. Dominion would build and operate the pipeline and remains committed to working with landowners and other stakeholders to develop the best project possible.

**You are invited to attend an informational open house in your area to learn more about the Atlantic Coast Pipeline.** We are holding thirteen open houses along the proposed study corridor. A detailed schedule is available on the back of this page.

As you may know, the 550-mile Atlantic Coast Pipeline would originate in Harrison County, West Virginia, run to Greensville County, Virginia and then south into eastern North Carolina. A lateral extension is planned from the Virginia-North Carolina border to Hampton Roads.

The pipeline would be 42 inches in diameter in West Virginia and Virginia, 36 inches in diameter in North Carolina and 20 inches in diameter along the lateral extension. The Atlantic Coast Pipeline would also include construction of three compressor stations; the first in West Virginia, near the beginning of the route, the second in Buckingham County, Virginia and the third near the Virginia/North Carolina state line.

The Atlantic Coast Pipeline is needed to connect natural gas supplies from the Marcellus and Utica Shale regions with energy markets in Virginia and North Carolina. The pipeline would provide a dependable supply of natural gas as a cleaner option to generate electricity, heat homes and fuel factories and industries that rely on natural gas.

You are invited to attend an open house because the proposed project may impact your community and constituents you represent may own property within the identified pipeline study corridor. I encourage you or a member of your staff to attend to view maps and displays, obtain information, meet with the project team and offer input on the proposed study corridor. This is one of several steps in Dominion's commitment to communicating and working with you and local landowners to identify a route that has the fewest environmental impacts and reflects the input of landowners and the communities it would cross. There

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will be ongoing opportunities for you and your constituents to be involved in the planning and permitting of the Atlantic Coast Pipeline.

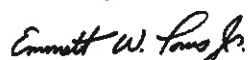
The format of the open houses will be informal and participants are invited to attend the following segments.

4 p.m. to 5 p.m.	Elected Official preview
5 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.	Landowners within the proposed study corridor
6:30 p.m. to 8 p.m.	Landowners and the general public

Monday, September 15	Augusta County Government Center 18 Government Center Lane Verona, VA 24482	
Tuesday, September 16 (two locations)	The Highland Center 61 Highland Center Drive Monterey, VA 24465	The Nelson Center 8445 Thomas Nelson Highway Lovingson, VA 22949
Wednesday, September 17	Wesleyan College Greek Alumni Room and Performing Arts Center Lobby 59 College Avenue Buckhannon, Upshur Co., WV 26201	
Thursday, September 18 (two locations)	Buckingham County Agricultural Center State Road 60 54 Administration Lane Buckingham, VA 23921	Brunswick High School 2171 Lawrenceville Plank Road Lawrenceville, VA 23868
Monday, September 22 (two locations)	University of North Carolina Pembroke COMTech Regional Center 115 Livermore Drive Pembroke, NC 28372	Rose Hill Plantation 3815 Rose Hill Lane Nashville, NC 27856
Tuesday, September 23 (two locations)	Holiday Inn Fayetteville I-95 South 1944 Cedar Creek Road Fayetteville, NC 28312	The Centre at Halifax Community College 100 College Drive Weldon, NC 27890
Wednesday, September 24	Durbin Volunteer Fire Department 40 4 <sup>th</sup> Avenue Durbin, WV 26264	
Thursday, September 25 (two locations)	Johnston County Agricultural Center 2736 NC 210 Highway Smithfield, NC 27577	Regional Workforce Development Center Paul D. Camp Community College 100 North College Drive Franklin, VA 23851

The project will require approval from the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC). When we begin the regulatory process later this fall, there will be additional opportunities for public input. You will receive separate invitations to those events. For more information, please visit the Atlantic Coast Pipeline website at [www.dom.com/ACpipeline](http://www.dom.com/ACpipeline), email [ACpipeline@dom.com](mailto:ACpipeline@dom.com) or call toll-free 844-215-1819.

Sincerely,



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